

REMARKS

In the Office action, the Examiner has determined that claims directed toward four separately patentable inventions are presented in the present application, and has required Applicant to elect a single invention for prosecution on the merits. The inventions identified by the Examiner are:

- Group I. Claim 1, directed toward a first product;
- Group II. Claim 4, directed toward a second product;
- Group III. Claims 5, 9, and 10, directed toward a first method; and
- Group IV. Claims 6 and 7, directed toward a second method.

In response to the restriction/election requirement, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, Group II, claim 4, for prosecution on the merits. Remaining claims 1, 5 – 7, 9, and 10 have been withdrawn.

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Respectfully submitted,

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